

X Mon. December hath xxxi days.

By Mrs. Bridget Saunders, my Dutchess, in Answer to the December Verses of last Year.

*He that for sake of Drink neglects his Trade,
And spends each Night in Taverns till 'tis late,
And rises when the Sun is four hours high,
And ne'er regards his starving Family;
God in his Mercy may do much to save him.
But, woe to the poor Wife, whose Lot it is to have him*

1	E	7*	South 10 13	4	18.7	21	5	Famine, Plague,	
2	2	☉	☿ Cloudy,	5	Ω	7	21	5	War, and an un-
3	3		He that knows no-	5h	18.7	22	5	number'd throng	
4	4		thing of it, may by	6h	18.7	22	5	rise 10 40 af.	
5	5	☿	☿ Snow or	7	16.7	22	5	Of Guile aveng-	
6	6	☿	☿ Rain.	8	29.7	23	5	Last Quarter.	
7	7		chance be a Pro-	9	27	23	5	ing Ills, to Man	
8	F		phet; while	9h	25.7	23	5	belong;	
9	2	☿	☿ Falling w.	10	11.7	23	5		
10	3	☉	enters ♀ then	11	20.7	23	5	rise 4 morn.	
11	4	☿	♂ Winter	12	7	23	5	Is't not enough	
12	5		begins and makes	12	14.7	23	5	Plagues, Wars,	
13	6	☿	♂ shortest	1h	26.7	23	5	and Famines	
14	7		day 9 h. 10 m.	2	19.7	22	5	New 14 day,	
15	F		Warm for the	3	19.7	22	5	1 morning.	
16	2		season,	4	22.7	22	5	rise	
17	3	☉	☿ snow.	4h	14.7	22	5	To last our	
18	4		the wisest that is	5h	25.7	22	5	sets 9 aftern.	
19	5		may happen to miss.	6	27	21	5	crimes, but must	
20	6		Days inc. 4 min.	7	20.7	21	5	our Wives be	
21	7	☿	☿ Cold	8	17.7	21	5	wife?	
22	F		Weather.	8h	15.7	21	5	First Quarter.	
23	2		If you wou'd have	9h	28.7	20	5	sets 1 morn.	
24	3		Guests merry wish	10	8	20	5	Reader farewell,	
25	4		CHRIST born.	11	26.7	19	5	all Happiness at	
26	5		your cheer, windy	12	11.7	19	5	tend thee:	
27	6		St. John.	1	26.7	18	5	May each New-	
28	7		Be so your self, or so	2	27	18	5	Full 28 day,	
29	F		at least appear.	3	27.7	17	5	9 at night.	
30	2		and cloudy.	3h	17.7	17	5	Year better and	
31	3		Days inc. 12 m.	4	27.7	16	5	richer find thee.	

Of the ECLIPSES, 1734.

There will be but two: The first April 22, 18 min. after 5 in the morning; the second Octob. 15. 36 min. past 1 in the afternoon. Both of the SUN; and both, like Mrs. ----'s Modesty, and old Neighbour Scrape-all's Money, Invisib!e. Or, like a certain Storekeeper late of ----- County, Not to be seen in these Parts.

Since the Eclipses take up so little space, I have room to comply with the new Fashion, and propose a Mathematical Question to the Sons of Art; which perhaps is not more difficult to solve, nor of less Use when solved, than some of those that have been proposed by the ingenious Mr. G----y. It is this,

A certain rich Man had 100 Orchards, in each Orchard was 100 Appletrees, under each Appletree was 100 Hogsties, in each Hogstie was 100 Sows, and each Sow had 100 Pigs. Question, How many Sow-Pigs were there among them?

Note, The Answer to this Question won't be accepted without the Solution.



Chronology of Things remarkable, 1734.

	Years since,
THE Birth of JESUS CHRIST	1734
Jerusalem taken by the Romans	1661
Tower of London built	1165
First Mayor of London	544
London-Bridge built with Stone	525
The Invention of Guns by a Monk	365
The Art of Printing found out by a Soldier	294
Great Massacre in France	162
Spanish Armada burnt	146
K. James I. laid the first Stone of Chelsea Coll.	125
The Bible new translated	123
Gunpowder Plot	120
The Plague of London, whereof died 30000	109
Long Parliament began, Nov. 3. 1640.	94
Rebellion in Ireland, Oct. 23. 1641.	93